JOHN W. ROGERS, H. P. WHITNEY'S TRAINER, DEAD

Succumbs to Pneumonia After Long Illness at Millionaire's Aiken Estate.

HANDLER OF RACERS.

Trained and Saddled Famous Thoroughbreds and Ranked High in Profession.

AIKEN, S. C., Feb. 25.-John W. Rogers, trainer for the racing stable and breeding establishment of Harry Payne Whitney, died here to-day of pneumonia. Mr. Rogers has been in preumonia. Mr. Rogers has been in poor health for the past five years. He contracted a cold about two months ago, which soon developed into pneumonia. His recovery was hoped for up to yesterday, when his condition became serious. Mr. Whitney was notified in New York that his trainer might die at any moment and to hurry a man to the Southern farm to take charge of the horses.

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Rogers earned a fortune as a trainer,

His wealth might be estimated at half
a million. He signed a contract with
the late William C. Whitney in 1901, and
has handled the bearers of the Whitney colors ever since. Although he has been a sick man at intervals he has bandled the horses skiffully and has won many important races with them, including the Metropolitan Handicap with Gunfire, the Brooklyn with Irish Lad, the Futurity and the Brighton Handicap with Antful. He also saddled Burgomaster, the greatest two-year-old of his year.

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For the coming season, Mr. Rogers had many promising racers in view, sincluding some fashionably-bred two-year-olds, eligible for all the big stakes, Mr. Whitney will find it difficult to find a trainer to replace Rogers.

Mr. Rogers was near death in 1902, when he suffered from malaria and typhold fever. At that time his physicians held out little hope for his recovery. He fought the ailment bravely and soon was restored to health good enough to permit of his taking up his training duties again. When he went South last year with the Whitney horses Mr. Rogers believed his health was better than it had been for years.

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Before acquiring a reputation as a trainer in the East, Mr. Rogers handled trotters. He quit the harness racers to train thoroughbreds for Edward Corrigan Disagreeing with Corrigan over training methods, Mr. Rogers was engaged by S. S. Brown, the Pittsburg millionaire. During his term with Brown, Rogers won the Suburban with Troubadour, and also saddled such famous horses as Buddhist, Lampbighter and Reporter.

Mr. Rogers was about fifty-five years old, tall, angular and autocratic in his ways, He always insisted on being the boss of the job and never stood for interference in the slightest degree with his training methods. He was highly esteemed by everybody.

ANOTHER POPULAR SONG ballad hit of the Sam Bernard "Nearly a Hero," now appearing Broadway Casino, is entitled "What Makes the World Go Round." It is by Van Alstyne and Williams, the well-known song writers, and will be given, words and music complete, in the Maga-gine Section of next SUNDAY'S WORLD,

LIKED HIS NAME, BUT HELD HIM IN \$500

Bjorn Groning Made Himself Baron W. Gould and Then Sold Shares of Stock.

tackle his Norwegian name is the rea-son Bjorn Groning gives for his armorning in the Yorkville police court. Young Mr. Groning is a member of and the English Church Mission, and emong the workers in these vineyards is, or was, also known as a "consulting mining engineer," of Nos. 37 and 43 Wall street, connected with the firm

of Harrington & Co. According to the story developed in court this morning Groning became thember of the Y. M. C. A. last June The name on his card was Baron W Gould, and the legend following it was "consulting mining engineer." with the Wall street address. He also talked alluringly of stocks. He made friends with several members of the staff of the Lying-In Hospital and became especially intimate with the night clerk.

Aloysius Mann, who lives at the hospital. To Mann he confided the secret

that he held shares of a certain mining stock that was sure to treble in value

inside of two weeks.
"It is a certainty," he said. "I would keep them, of course, but I don't care to be bothered by such chicken feed, as

I have only a share or two." The result was that Mann bought the stock or \$30 and saw a fortune looming up. Groning next became friendly with the elevator boy at the hospital, Thomas Huddington, of No. 180 West Thirtieth street. That young man was also impressed with the tale of the stocks, and he, too broame a shareholder to the extent of \$30. he, too, became a shareholder to the extent of \$30.

Ine night clerk and the elevator boy waited the two weeks, but there was Co realization of the persuasive Gould's" prediction, and when they sought their broker he was not to be found.

They asked the aid of the police, but it was not until Sunday that Mana discovered that the Norwegian was in the habit of attending the English Church Mission, No. 281 Fourth avolute. Detective Cashin and the night

WHITNEY'S GREAT TRAINER WHO

J. W.



Morse, appeared before Justice Dowling Court to-day and withdrew the bank for perjury on which Morse was arraigned a week ago. The lawyer neved to be allowed to demur to the indict-ment on the ground that it did not

to inspect the minutes of the Grand Jury, and days will be set later in the week to argue both motions before Justice Dowling. In moving to inspect the minutes of the Grand Jury the lawyer presented an affidavit made by Mr. Morse. In this document Morse stated that he had interviewed four of the witnesses who testified before the Grand Jury, and that they had

the Grand Jury, and that they had stated to him that their testimony was not of a character upon which he could be indicted. The four witnesses are F. Augustus Heinze, ex Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, Miles O'Brien and former Cashier Wire, of the Bank of North America.



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